

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph on page 5, lines 1-13, with the following paragraph:

Data created within the board is immediately associated with the user, the user's permission level, the current workspace, any other desired workspace that the user designates, and the application. This association is captured in a form of metadata and tagged to the data being created. The metadata automatically captures the context in which the data was created as the data is being created. Additionally, the data content is indexed to facilitate searching for the content in a number of different ways ~~in a number of different ways~~ in the future by the user or other users. This tagging process is universal, in that, the data model allows for any binary data (e.g., files), as well as any set of definable data to be accepted into the system. The system is not restricted to processing e-mail, faxes, calendar events, meetings, phone calls, etc., that are included in the bundled system, but can also accommodate whatever data the user chooses to use. The system is also universal insofar as its user interaction can be through a browser that is pervasively employed for use with conventional operating systems.

Please replace the paragraph on page 6, lines 1-3, with the following paragraph:

In another aspect thereof, the tool ~~provides~~ automatically stores contextual information relating to an item of communication and utilizes that contextual information in performance of communication tasks.

Please replace the paragraph on page 14, lines 19-31, with the following paragraph:

Data created while the user is in the board is immediately associated with the user, the current workspace, any other desired workspace that the user designates, and the application. This association is captured in a form of metadata and tagged to the data being created. The metadata automatically captures the context in which the data was

created as the data is being created. Additionally, the data content is indexed to facilitate searching for the content in number of different ways in the future by the user or other users. This tagging process is universal, in that, the data model allows for any binary data (e.g., files), as well as any set of definable data to be accepted into the system. The system is not restricted to processing e-mail, faxes, calendar events, meetings, phone calls, etc., that are included in the bundled system, but can also accommodate whatever data the user chooses to define. The system is also universal insofar as user interaction as ~~it user interaction~~ can be through a browser that is pervasively employed for use with conventional operating systems.

Please replace the paragraph on page 15, lines 1-14, with the following paragraph:

Referring now to FIG. 5, there is illustrated a flow chart of a process for board and web generation in accordance with the present invention. At 500, a webs-and-boards table is created to track the relationship of said aspects. At 502, a user creates a board. This can be via an administrator initially configuring a person's user workspace ~~person user workspace~~, or thereafter, a user creating another workspace, for example, a shared workspace. At 504, the user performs data operations while in the board. The data and applications employed to operate on the data are then included as content associated with the user in this particular context. Given that there can be multiple users, there can be a corresponding one or more webs associated with the one or more users. A BOARD(S) column lists the number of boards, and select ~~select~~ numbers of the boards can now be grouped in collections or webs, as indicated at 506, to facilitate workflow, for example. For any number of reasons, the web and board relationships can be changed, as indicated at 508. At 510, the webs-and-boards table is automatically updated as these changes occur. The process then reaches a Stop block.

Please replace the paragraph that begins on page 16, line 22 and ends on page 17, line 2, with the following paragraph:

Referring now to FIG. 8, there is illustrated a more detailed block diagram of a system 800 of the present invention. The system 800 includes the internal network 702 on which is disposed the services system 704 and the one or more users 706 seeking use of the services of the services component 708 provided thereby. The services of the services component 708 facilitate the use of the data management tool, which employs one or more webs 802 and boards 804. The tool further provides portal services 806 for accessing the services from various internal and external network locations using the TCP/IP suite of protocols. Other services provided include, but are ~~not limited to~~ not limited to, voice services 808 and outside services 810. Outside services 810 facilitate including non-employees and the use of third-party applications in specific projects in the system by providing various levels of access to any number of data locations and services. Read/write permissions can be granularized to the file level, if desired.

Please replace the paragraph that begins on page 28, and ends on page 23, line 6, with the following paragraph:

Here, the Meet application option is selected to allow user interaction with setting up a meeting related to projects of the user. The Meet application option further includes List and Create sub-options. When the List sub-option is selected, a center viewing area 1510 is used to present board, context, web address and other information so that the user can review the existing board and context information related to setting up a meeting. Selection the Create sub-option allows the user to create a meeting in association with ~~in associated with~~ one or more of the boards and make changes to existing board relationships and contexts. Other user-selectable options are provided such that the user can Join in a session with one or more other users, Move data to Archive, Select all objects, set a Reminder for himself or herself, and Delete boards.